

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

CIVIL MINUTES - GENERAL

Case No.	SACV 11-0485 AG (AJWx)	Date	June 14, 2011
Title	LISA LIBERI, et al. v. ORLY TAITZ, et al.		

Present: The Honorable	ANDREW J. GUILFORD
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Lisa Bredahl	Not Present	
Deputy Clerk	Court Reporter / Recorder	Tape No.
Attorneys Present for Plaintiffs:	Attorneys Present for Defendants:	

Proceedings: [IN CHAMBERS] ORDER REGARDING PRO HAC VICE APPLICATION

Philip J. Berg ("Berg") has filed an application to be admitted pro hac vice ("Application") to represent plaintiffs in this case. While the Court previously denied a pro hac vice application by Berg in another case, circumstances here lead to a different result. First, this case started in Pennsylvania, where Berg is located and duly licensed. Second, plaintiffs did not seek to transfer this case to this Court. Third, plaintiffs here need a lawyer, and Berg has been serving as their lawyer in this case for the past several years, so switching lawyers now would impose an economic hardship. Fourth, Berg is a named plaintiff in addition to serving as counsel for other plaintiffs, so Berg will appear in this case whether or not he is admitted pro hac vice.

The Court GRANTS the Application.

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